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PART III—Section I

NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

CHIEF SECRETARIAT

(HOME DEPARTMENT).

Notification dated 22nd March 1949.

No. P. 14944—Mily. 197-48-7. The following instructions received from the Government of India, Ministry of States, New Delhi, relating to examinations for the selection of Cadets for entry into the Armed Forces Academy (Inter Service Wing), the permanent Cadre of the Commissioned ranks of the Royal Indian Navy and for recruitment to the Indian Administrative Service, etc., are published for the general information of the public.

Application in the prescribed manner should be submitted by the candidates to the Federal Public Service Commission direct and not through the Ministry of States or this Government.

10235 K. SRINIVASAN, *Chief Secy.*

FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

The Federal Public Service Commission will hold a supplementary examination for entry into the Armed Forces Academy (Inter Services Wing) for the course commencing in July 1949 in accordance with the Rules prescribed in the Ministry of Defence Notification No. 1577-A published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary dated the 8th September 1948. The following corrections are, however, necessary. Candidates should note them very carefully :—

NOTIFICATION.

Para 1.—At the end *read* 'current' instead of 'next'.

Para 2.—In the beginning of line 2 after the word 'and' *read* 'it has already' instead of 'will'.

At the end of line 2 *read* 'consists' instead of 'will consists'.

In the middle of line 3 *read* 'comprises' instead of 'will comprise'.

Para 4.—In line 3 *read* the date of examination as '23rd and 24th May 1949' instead of 'December 1948'.

Para 5.—Substitute by the following :—

Candidates who are admitted to the written examination may be required to appear for interview before a Services Selection Board either before the written examination or after it.

Para 8 (i)—*Read* the last date for the receipt of applications as '19th March 1949' instead of 1st October 1948'.

Para 8 (iv).—In line 2 insert 'and the Doon School, Dehra Dun' after the word 'Colleges'.

Note (*I*) *under para* 10.—At the end of line I delete the words 'or may migrate'.

Para 13.—At the end insert the following note :—

'Cadets of the Prince of Wales' Royal Indian Military College, or King George's R. I. N. College's and of Doon School, Dehra Dun, who obtain a certificate from the Principal that they have reached a standard of education which would enable them to take the Matriculation, Examination may apply'.

Para 21. Insert the following sub-para :—

'Candidates will appear before the Services Selection Boards and undergo the tests thereat at their own risk and will not be entitled to claim any compensation or other relief from Government in regard to any injury which they may sustain in the course of or as a result of any of the tests given to them at a Services Selection Board, whether due to the negligence of any person or otherwise'.

Para 23.—In line 3 delete the words 'The candidates..... .....final selection'.

Para 26.—Insert the following sub-para :—

'Parents or guardians of candidates selected for R.I.N. must sign a further declaration in the form appended that they are in a position and will be prepared to discharge the financial obligations attaching to the candidate's further training in U. K., on completion of the preliminary training at the Inter Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy.'.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES.

Para 5.—Insert the following as item V :—

'A declaration by the parent or guardian in the prescribed form if a candidate for R. I. N.

After para 5 (v) substitute the existing para by the following :—

'Candidates are specially warned that the Commission will not make any provisional admission to the examination this time in view of the short time at their disposal. If an application is incompletely or wrongly filled up or if it is not accompanied by the documents mentioned in items (ii) to (v) above, it will be summarily rejected and that no appeal against its rejection will be entertained.'

Note 3 *under para* 5 (i)—At the end *read* '12 below' for '14 above'.

Para 5 (ii)—At the end insert the following sub-para :—

'If the Matriculation certificate has not been issued to a candidate he should submit along with his application an age certificate from the Headmaster of the School from where he appeared in the Matriculation examination. Such a candidate will be required to submit his original Matriculation Certificate before he is admitted to the Armed Forces Academy. He will be disqualified if later on it is found that the date of birth claimed by him in the application differs from that entered in the Matriculation Certificate unless the discrepancy is explained to the satisfaction of the Federal Public Service Commission'.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

Para I.—Read 'para II of Notification' for 'Para 8 of Notification'.

Table of Minimum Standards—Under the column 'height without shoes' *read* and 'under 65' for 62'.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 8th September 1948.

No. 1577-A.—The Government of India have issued orders that work on the establishment of the National War Academy at Kharakvasla should commence immediately. Construction of the buildings required for the Academy and equipping them will however, inevitably take some time. In the meantime, therefore, the Government of India have decided to start an experimental Inter-Service Academy at Dehra Dun from the beginning of the next year.

2 It has been decided that this Academy will be called the Armed Forces Academy and will come into being from 1st January 1949. It will consist of two Wings, the Military Wing which will comprise the present I. M. A. and the Inter-Service Wing.

3 At the Inter-Service Wing, cadets, of all the three Services will receive combined training for a period extendi[illegible] over two years. The training will consist of two parts, 2/[illegible] being of an academic nature consisting of subjects like E[illegible] History and World outline Mathematics Science, G[illegible]

Modern languages, Workshop practice, Civics and Economics and Current Affairs, and 1/3rd Service training which will include subjects like P. T., Drill, Weapon training, Elementary Fieldcraft, Organisation and Administration of the three Services, Internal combustion engines, Driving and maintenance theory, Map reading and Navigation, Equitation, Radio telephony and Man management. All cadets whilst under training will be required to take part in games and recreational training every day.

4 An examination for entry into the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy at Dehra Dun for the course commencing in July 1949 will be held in December 1948 at Allahabad, Bombay, Calcutta, Delhi, Madras and Nagpur. The examination will be conducted by the Federal Public Service Commission. Candidates accepted for admission to the Examination will be informed at what place and on what dates and at what hour they should present themselves.

5 Candidates who qualify at the written examination will be required to appear before a Services Selection Board, which will make recommendations to the Government of India for the final selection of candidates for admission to the Academy.

6 The number of vacancies to be offered for entry into the Academy as a result of this examination will be as follows:—

Army	162
Navy	25
Air Force	25
Indian States Forces ...	25
Total ...	237

Candidates should indicate in the application form their order of preference if they wish to compete for more than one branch of Service. Due consideration will be given to the preferences expressed by a candidate at the time of his application, but the Government of India reserve power to assign him to any branch of service for which he may be found most suitable.

7 Copies of the application form and other connected papers may be obtained direct from the Secretary, Federal Public Service Commission, Council Chamber, Post Box No. 186, New Delhi. The fact that an application form has been supplied on a praticular date will not be accepted as an excuse for the late submission of an application. Candidates who delay their requests for forms until a late date will do so at their own risk.

8 (i) A candidate who desires to appear at the examination is required to submit his application in the prescribed form with the necessary documents in accordance with the 'Instructions to candidates regarding the filling up and submission of applications'. Except as provided for below the application shall be made direct so as to reach the Federal Public Service Commission, Council Chamber, Post Box No. 186, New Delhi, on or before the 1st October 1948.

(ii) Candidates from Indian States applying for ultimate entry into the Indian States Forces shall submit their applications to the Federal Public Service Commission through the Military Adviser-in-Chief, Indian States Forces.

(iii) Service candidates will forward their applications through their Commanding Officers.

(iv) Cadets of the Prince of Wales' Royal Indian Military College, Dehra Dun, and of King George's Royal Indian Military Colleges shall submit their applications through the Principal of the College.

(v) No candidate shall make more than one application in respect of this examination. No application received after the prescribed date will be considered.

9 Candidates for admission to this examination must have been born not earlier than the 2nd July 1932 and not later than 1st July 1934. Preference will be given to candidates of 15 years or as near that age as possible for the Navy whereas for the Army and the Air Force, candidates of 16-17 years of age will be preferred. The age limits can in no case be relaxed.

10 Candidates must be unmarried males and either—

(a) *Nationals of the Dominion of India by birth or by domicile or

(b) Subjects or rulers of Indian States which have acceded to the Dominion of India, or

(c) Ghurka subjects of Nepal, or

(d) †Others in whose favour a declaration of eligibility has been issued by the Government of India.

*NOTE (i).—Persons who were domiciled in Pakistan areas, but have migrated or may migrate to India before the 30th September 1948, with the intention of permanently settling down in India, will be treated as persons of Indian domicile.

†NOTE (ii).—Candidates in this category will not be admitted to the [illegible] of eligibility has been issued in their favour.

11 Candidate should be medically fit in all respects. Applications must be accompanied by a certificate from a Government doctor of the status not lower than that of an Assistant Surgeon, who must certify that in his opinion the candidate is medically fit in all respects to take his place in the Armed Forces. He must also say that in his opinion the development of the candidate is such that by the time he attains the age of 17 the candidate will reach the following minimum standards;—

Height without shoes	Chest	
	Girth when fully expanded	Range of expansion not less than
Inches	Inches	Inches
62 and under 65	33	2
65 ,, ,, 68	33½	2
68 ,, ,, 72	34	2
72 ,, upwards	34	2

Extremely good vision is required of candidates applying for the R.I.N. and R.I.A.F. *Sufficient number of suitable candidates recommended by Services Selection Board will be medically examined by a Board of Service Doctors. No candidate not passed as fit by the Medical Board will be admitted to the Academy. The mere fact that the medical examination has been carried out by a Board of Service Doctors will not mean or imply that the candidate has been finally selected.*

12 Candidates must undertake not to marry until they complete their full training at the Inter-Services Wing and later on at the Parent Service Establishment. A candidate who marries subsequent to the date of his application, though successful at the ensuing or any subsequent examination, will not be selected for training and a candidate who marries while under training shall be discharged.

13 Candidates must have passed—

(a) the Matriculation Examination of a recognised Indian University, or

(b) an examination accepted by any such University as equivalent to a Matriculation Examination for the purpose of admission to a University course; or

(c) the Cambridge School Certificate Examination; or

(d) any other examination which may be recognised by the Federal Public Service Commission as equivalent to the above;

or must possess one of the following certificates:—

(e) the Indian Army Special Certificate of Education; or

(f) the Certificate issued by the Inter-Provincial Board for Anglo-Indian and European Education to 9th Standard students who join the Forces; or

(g) the Higher Educational Test of the Royal Indian Navy; or

(h) the Higher Secondary Technical Examination Certificate of the Delhi Polytechnic; or

(i) the 10th class certificate from a Higher Secondary School in Delhi, Simla and must have been admitted to the 11th Class in such a school;

(j) Junior examination of the Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi, in the case of *bona fide* resident students of the Jamia only.

(k) Bengal (Science) School Certificate.

(l) Bombay School Leaving Examination (without any condition).

(m) the Royal Indian Air Force Educational Test for re-classification to Leading Aircraftsman.

(n) the Anglo-Vernacular School Leaving Certificate (Burma) with eligibility for University course.

(o) the Burma High School Final Examination Certificate with eligibility for University course.

14 Candidates must pay the following fee:

A consolidated application and examination fee of Rs. 82-8-0 (Rs. 20-10-0 in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes) with the application.

(A Treasury Receipt or crossed Indian Postal Orders only for this amount will be accepted by the Federal Public Service Commission. The Commission cannot accept the fee in cash or cheques).

No claim for a refund of this fee will ordinarily be entertained, nor can this be held in reserve for any other examination. A refund of Rs. 75 (Rs. 18-12-0 in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes)

will, however, be allowed to a candidate who has paid the consolidated fee of Rs. 82-8-0 (Rs. 20-10-0 in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes) if he is not admitted to the examination by the Commission, or having been admitted secures 35 per cent or more of the aggregate marks at the examination. Other candidates will forfeit the entire fee

NOTE:—The Commission may at their discretion remit the prescribed fee where they are satisfied that the applicant is a *bona fide* refugee and is not in a position to pay the prescribed fee.

15 A candidate must satisfy the Federal Public Service Commission and the appointing au hority that he is suitable in all respects for admission to the Academy.

16 The decision of the Federal Public Service Commission as to the eligibility or otherwise of a candidate shall be final.

17 No candidate shall be admitted to the examination unless he holds a certificate of admission from the Federal Public Service Commission.

18 Any attempt on the part of a candidate to enlist support for his application will disqualify him for admission.

19 The maximum number of candidates to be admitted to the examination may in the discretion of the Government of India, be limited to such number as the Government of India may decide. If a limit is imposed and the number of candidates exceeds that limit, the Federal Public Service Commission shall select from among the applicants those who shall be admitted to the examination and shall have regard in so doing to the suitability of the applicants for admission to the Academy.

20 The examination will include the following subjects and the maximum number of marks obtainable for each subject is as follows :—

	Maximum marks
1. English	300
2. General Knowledge and Current Affairs	300
3. Mathematics—I	150
Mathematics—II	150

In order to qualify in the written examination, candidates must obtain 50 per cent of the aggregate marks.

21 From the marks assigned to candidates in each subject such deduction will be made as the Federal Public Service Commission may consider necessary in order to secure that no credit is allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

22 Deductions for handwriting which is at all difficult to read will be made up to 20 per cent of the maximum marks for the written subjects. In English and in every other subject, deductions for bad English spelling will be made up to 10 per cent of the maximum marks.

23 The Federal Public Service Commission shall prepare a list of candidates in order of their merit as disclosed by the aggregate marks awarded to each candidate at the written examination. The candidates who obtain qualifying marks at the written examination shall appear before a Services Selection Board which will make recommendations for the final selection.

24 Candidates finally selected by Services Selection Boards will undergo a two years' course at the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy. The successful candidates after the first two years' training will undergo further specialised training in the branch or service for which they may be selected ; for example, those earmarked for the Army will do a further course of two years at the Military Wing of the Academy. While at the Academy, cadets will be subject to the discipline of the Service for which selected.

25 Before the candidate joins the Academy, the parent or guardian will be required to sign a bond to the effect that, if for any reasons considered within the control of the candidate, he wishes to withdraw before the completion of the course, or fails to accept a commission if offered, he will be liable to refund the whole or such protion of the cost of tuition, food, clothing and pay and allowances received, as may be decided upon by Government.

26 During the period of training, the cadets will be eligible for an allowance of Rs. 75 per mensem. This allowance will, however, cease with effect from the 1st January 1950, from which date the parents or guardians of the candidates will be required to meet their pocket expenses and to fill in a declaration that they are in a position and will be prepared to discharge the financial obligations attaching to the candidates' training, before the candidate is admitted to the Academy.

While undergoing training, cadets will be provided with free accommodation (including allied services) and messing. Service clothing will be issued to them against their entitle-

27 Candidates for the Indian States Forces will be required to fulfil the same conditions as are laid down for others.

H. M. Patel, Secy.

Syllabus for Entrance Examination to the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy.

Papers will be set on the following subjects :—

Paper 1.	English	2½ hrs.	300 marks
Paper 2.	Mathematics	2 hrs.	150 ,,
Paper 3	General Knowledge and current affairs	2½ hrs.	300 ,,
Paper 4.	Mathematics II	2 hrs.	150 ,,

The standard for these papers will approximately be the same as that of the Matriculation Examination.

ENGLISH

Questions may be asked on any of the following :—

(*a*) An exercise in composition to test a candidate's abilities to write English that is simple and gramatically correct.

(*b*) A simple prose passage to be condensed by the candidate with the object of testing comprehension and expression.

(*c*) Correction of sentences.

(*d*) Reported Speech, Questions and Commands.

(*e*) Uses of simple words having similar pronunciations but different meanings and common phrases.

MATHEMATICS I

Arithmetic and Mensuration.—Volgar decimal fractions, ratio and proportion, percentages, averages, profit and loss, simple and compound interest, stocks and shares, square roots of whole numbers and decimals, areas and volumes of regular figures.

General Knowledge and Current Affairs.—Questions to be set on the general geography of the world with particular reference to India, Indian history, everyday science and current affairs.

MATHEMATICS II—*Algebra and Geometry.*

Algebra.—Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, simple equations, H.C.F., L.C.M., fractions, simultaneous equations, involution, evolution, factors, quadratic equations.

Geometry.—Knowledge of the properties of angles at a point, parallel straight lines, angles of a triangle, congruency of triangles, properties of the angles, sides and diagonals of a parallelogram, rhombus, rectangle, square and trapezium.

Properties of circles, *i.e.*, angle subtended by an arc or chord at the centre of a circle is double that subtended at the circumference, angle in a semi-circle is at right angles to the radius at the point of contact, angle between chord and tangent equal to the angle in the alternate segment.

Constructions, Bisection of angle and straight line, construction of perpendiculars, parallels triangles, tangents to circles, inscribed and circumscribed circles of triangle.

FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Instructions to candidates regarding the filling up and submission of applications for the examination for entry into the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy at Dehra Dun.

(1) A copy of the notification, etc., for the Examination is sent herewith. (The fact that these papers are being supplied to a candidate is no evidence of his eligibility for admission to the examination. Candidates should consult them to see if they are eligible before filling up the application form or paying the prescribed fee into a treasury. The conditions prescribed cannot be relaxed).

(2) The enclosed application form must be filled up in the candidate's own handwriting.

The application form should be submitted direct to the Secretary, Federal Public Service Commission, Council Chamber (Post Box No. 186), New Delhi. A service candidate must submit his application through his Commanding Officer, who will, if he considers the candidate eligible, forward it to the Federal Public Service Commission with his recommendation (*vide* Section B of the application form). Cadets of the Prince of Wales's Royal Indian Military College, Dehra Dun, and KGRIM College should submit their applications through the Principal of the College. Candidates from Indian States for ultimate entry into the Indian State Forces should submit their applications through the Military Adviser-in-Chief. Indian State Forces. No application received after the date prescribed in the notification will be accepted.

(3) Applications should be sent by registered post when they cannot be presented in person. If a candidate fails to register his application, he does so at his own risk. If he desires an acknowledgment, he should send his application "Registered Acknowledgment Due". No application will be otherwise acknowledged.

(4) If before or after the examination it is found that a candidate has knowingly furnished any particulars which are false, or has suppressed material information, he will be disqualified, and if already admitted to the Academy, removed.

(5) The candidate must send the following documents with his application :—

(i) A treasury receipt or crossed Indian postal orders for Rs.82/8/- (Rs. 20/10/- in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes). (Fees in cash or by cheque are not acceptable).

(ii) A certificate of age.

(iii) A certificate of educational qualifications in original.

(iv) A certificate from a Government doctor not below the rank of Assistant Surgeon in the prescribed form.

Details of the required documents are given below :—

Candidates are warned that if the application is incompletely or wrongly filled up or is not accompanied by the documents mentioned in items (ii), (iii) and (iv) above or by a reasonable explanation of the absence of such documents it will be summarily rejected and that no appeal against its rejection will be entertained.

(i) A treasury receipt or crossed Indian postal orders for Rs. 82/8/- (Rs. 20/10/- in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes). The amount may be deposited in the nearest Government Treasury, or in a branch of the Imperial Bank of India or in a State Treasury authorised to transact business on behalf of Government. (Amounts deposited at Bombay, Calcutta, Delhi or Madras should be deposited in the Rererve Bank of India instead of in the Imperial Bank of India). The Treasury or Bank should be asked to credit it to Government under the account head "XXXVI–Miscellaneous Departments—Examination Fees—Receipts of the Federal Public Service Commission."

CANDIDATES MUST SEE THAT THEY ARE ELIGIBLE AND MUST DECIDE DEFINITELY TO ENTER FOR THE EXAMINATION BEFORE DEPOSITING THE FEE IN THE TREASURY (OR BANK). THE APPLICATION FEE OF Rs. 7-8-0 (Rs. 1-14-0 IN THE CASE OF CANDIDATES BELONGING TO THE SCHEDULED CASTES) WILL NOT BE RETURNED IN ANY CIRCUMSTANCES WHATEVER NOR WILL IT BE HELD IN RESERVE FOR ANY OTHER EXAMINATION (OR SELECTION) ONCE AN APPLICATION HAS BEEN CONSIDERED BY THE COMMISSION. A REFUND OF Rs. 75/- (Rs. 18/12/- in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes) will however be allowed to a candidate who has paid the consolidated fee of Rs. 82/8/- (20/10/- in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes), if he is not admitted to the examination by the commission or having been admitted secures 35 per cent or more of the aggregate marks at the examination. Other candidates will forfeit the entire fee. The name of the examination and of the Treasury at which the fee is deposited should be clearly entered in the Treasury Receipt. The treasury receipt should be on the form pertaining to Central Government transactions and should be obtained from the treasury at which the fee is deposited.

NOTE 1.—Candidates, who are in the United Kingdom, Australia, Ceylon, Malaya, Burma or Pakistan at the time of submitting their applications should deposit the amount of their prescribed fee in the offices of the High Commissioner for India in the United Kingdom, Australia, Pakistan, Burma or in the office of the Government of India's Representative in Ceylon or Malaya, as the case may be and forward the receipt from that office.

NOTE 2.—Cash or cheques will not be accepted by the Federal Public Service Commission.

NOTE 3.—An application not accompanied by a Treasury Receipt or crossed Indian postal orders for Rs. 82-8-0 (Rs. 20-10-0 in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes) will be summarily rejected and no explanation for inability to send the Treasury Receipt or a crossed Indian Postal Order with the application will be considered. This does not apply to refugee candidates seeking remission of the fee (*vide* para 14 above).

(ii) *Certificate of age* (*see paragraph* 9 *of the Notification*).

(*a*) The only proof of age ordinarily accepted by the Commission is the age or date of birth entered in the Matriculation certificate or one of the other certificates listed in paragraph 13 of the Notification. This certificate must be sent with the application in original.

If a Matriculation or equivalent certificate does not give the exact date of birth the candidate must send in addition to the Matriculation or equivalent certificate, a certificate (in original) from the Headmaster of the High School which he first attended showing the date of his birth or his exact age as recorded at the time of his admission to the school. An Anglo-Indian, or an Indian Christian may send his original Baptismal or Birth Registration Certificate instead of the Headmaster's certificate.

A candidate who has passed the Matriculation or equivalent examination as a private student must submit, in addition to the Matriculation or equivalent certificate, a certificate from the Headmaster of the school which he first attended showing the date of his birth or his exact age as recorded in the school admission register. If no school was ever attended, a certificate extract from the Municipal Birth Register releating to himself or some other convincing proof in support of the age stated in the Matriculation certificate should be submitted. The application of a private student who can produce no satisfactory evidence in support of the age stated in his Matriculation or equivalent certificate may be rejected.

NOTE 1.—A transfer certificate from a school or college will not b accepted as evidence of age.

NOTE 2.—The age and nationality certificate, issued by some provincial authorities, is not required.

NOTE 3.—Ordinarily the Commission do not accept a date of birth other than that proved or supported by the Matriculation Certificate. If they do so they require not only convincing proof of the date claimed but also a satisfactory explanation of the incorrect entry in the Matriculation Certifica e. When once a date of birth has been claimed and accepted by the Commission for the purpose of admission to an examination, no change will be allowed at a subsequent examination. Candidates who wish to challenge the entry of their age in a Matriculation Certificate must do so at the first opportunity. In such cases, a candidate must send direct to the Federal Public Service Commission all the evidence on which he bases his claim, as soon as he has submitted his application.

(*b*) Cadets of the Prince of Wales' Royal Indian Military College, Dehra Dun or K.G.R.I.M. College must submit a certificate of age from the Principal of the College and no other certificate as evidence of age will be required.

(iii) *Certificate of educational qualifications* (*See paragraph* 10 *of the Notification*).—A certificate or diploma in original showing that the candidate has one of the qualifications prescribed for the examination. The certificate submitted must be one issued by the authority (*i.e.*, University or other examining body) awarding the particular qualification. If such a certificate or diploma is not submitted the candidate must explain its absence, and submit such other evidence (in original) as he can to support his claim to the requisite qualifications. The Commission will consider this evidence on its merits but do not bind themselves to accept it as sufficient.

NOTE.—Candidates who possess the Madras or Mysore Secondary School Leaving Certificates only, must submit *in addition to their Secondary School Leaving Certificate* proof that they have been declared eligible for admission to a University course of study as Matriculates. This certificate should be signed by the Registrar of the University concerned. But a candidate, who has been admitted to a recognised College or University, may submit a certificate in proof of this fact from the head of the institution concerned.

In the case of Universities in the Province of Madras applications for the issue of eligibility certificates should be made together with the prescribed fee to the Registrar of the University concerned and not to the Secretary, Board of Secondary Education.

(iv) *A certificate from a Government Doctor* not below the rank of Assistant Surgeon in the prescribed form (enclosed)—*see* paragraph 11 of the Notification.

(6) Candidates may be required at the interview by the Services Selection Board to produce the original of any documents of which copies have been submitted in connection with question 19 of the application form.

(7) Copies of the certificates mentioned in paragraph 5 (ii) and (iii) above should also be submitted along with the originals. If the candidate has already submitted any of these certificates in connection with another examination conducted by the Federal Public Service Commission and if it has not yet been returned to him, he should mention the fact when submitting his application, and if possible, enclose a copy of the certificate. If the certificate is not with the Commission, it should be sent with the application whether the candidate appeared at a previous examination conducted by the Commission or not. If any certificate cannot be submitted with the application, reasonable explanation of its absence must be given.

Candidates are advised to keep attested copies of their original certificates with them before submitting them to the Federal Public Service Commission, as the Commission cannot undertake to return the original certificates until orders are passed on their applications, nor can they undertake to supply attested copies to candidates.

NOTE.—Certificates other than those mentioned in paragraph (8) (ii) and (iii) above will not be returned.

8. All communications in respect of an application should state the name of the [illegible]

address as mentioned in the application form and should be addressed to "the Secretary, Federal Public Service Commission, Council Chamber, Post Box No. 186 New Delhi" Otherwise such communications will not be attended to.

9. The fact that an application form has been supplied on a particular date will not be accepted as an excuse for the late submission of an application or as evidence of the receiver's elgibility to compete.

10. Every candidate for admision to the examination will be informed at the earliest possible date of the result of his application. It is not possible for the Federal Public Service Commission, however, to say when that result will be communicated.

All returnable certificates or papers will be returned when the result of his application is communicated to the candidate.

11. Candidates must make arrangements to see that communications addressed to them to the address stated in their applications are redirected, if necessary. Also any change of address should be communicated at once to the Secretary of the Federal Public Service Commission. If a change of address has taken place after the examination, it should also be notified to Army Headquarters (India), A.G.'s Branch, Org. S.P. 2(a). G.H.Q., Post Office, New Delhi. Although the authorties make every effort to take account of changes in candidates' addresses, they cannot accept any responsibility in the matter.

12. A refugee seeking remission of the prescribed application and examination fees should forward along with his application his Refugee Registration Card (in original) and a certificate (also in original) from a District Officer or a Gazetted Officer of Government or a member of the Central or Provincial Legislature to show that he is not in a position to pay the prescribed fees.

FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Application form for admission to the Inter Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy at Dehra Dun.

(A treasury receipt or crossed Indian Postal Orders for Rs. 82-8-0 (Rs. 20-10-0 in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes) must be forwarded with this application. An application not accompanied by a Treasury Receipt or a crossed Indian Postal Order will not be considered). (This does not apply to refugee candidates seeking remission of the fee *vide* para 12 of Instructions to Candidates).

SECTION "A" TO BE COMPLETED BY THE CANDIDATE.

1. Name in full (in block capitals)	
2. Postal address in full. Any change of address should be communicated at once to the Secretary of the Federal Public Service Commission and after the examination also to the A.G.'s Branch, Org. SP. 2 (*a*), Army Headquarters (India), G.H.Q. Post Office, New Delhi. *Note.*—Candidates must make arrangements to see that communications addressed to them at the addresses stated in their applications are redirected, if necessary. The authorities concerned make every effort to take account of changes in candidates' addresses but cannot accept any responsibility in this matter.	
3. Exact date of birth	
4. (*a*) Place of birth and Province or State to which it is situated ... (*b*) Province or State to which you belong ... ... (*c*) District to which you belong ... .. (*d*) Give below particulars of place(s) where you have lived for more than six months during the last three years.	(a) (b) (c)

Place (including district) of residence	Address	Period of residence with dates

5. At which of the following places do you wish to appear for the examination Allahabad, Bombay, Calcutta, Delhi, Madras or Nagpur. *Note*—Ordinarily no request for a change in the place selected by the candidate will be entertained.	
6. Are you a national of the Indian Dominion by birth and/or by domicile?	
7. Are you a subject of a State which has acceded to India or of Nepal? If so, of what State?	
8. If you are not a subject of the Dominion of India or an Indian State, have you obtained a declaration of eligibility from the Government of India, Home Ministry. Give particulars.	
9. (*i*) State your (a) Religion ... ... (b) Caste, sect ... ... (*ii*) Are you a member of a scheduled caste (answer Yes or No). If the answer is "Yes," give particulars and attach a certificate from the District Magistrate in support of your claim.	
10. What is your father's name and his address. If dead, state his last address.	
11. Is he or was he a national of the Indian Dominion by birth and/or by domicile?	
12. Is he or was he the subject of an Indian State? If so, of what State?	

13. Did your father ever change his nationality ?	
14 What is or was his occupation ?	
15. If your father is dead, give the full address of your guardian ...	
16. Give the name, address and occupation of your next of kin showing relationship.	
17. (a) Did you appear at, or apply for admission to, any examination or selection held previously by the Federal Public Service Commission for recruitment to any service or post under Government ? Answer "Yes" or "No" as the case may be. (b) Have you applied for any other examination or selection to be held shortly by the Federal Public Service Commission If the answer be "Yes" give the name of examination or selection.	

18. If the answer to item 17 (a) is "Yes" supply the following information as far as possible :—

Name of Examination of selection	Year	Whether you were admitted to the examination and whether you appeared thereat.	Your Roll Number	Rank

19. Did your father or any near relative ever serve in the armed forces ? If so, give brief particulars and attach copies of any documents in support of your statements.	
20 Have you served in the Navy, Army or Air Force in any capacity ? If so, give details.	
21. Did You apply previously for any type of Commission in the Armed Forces including State Forces? If so, state particulars and the results obtained.	

22. Name in order, with dates of entering and leaving, the places of education you have attended.

Place of Education and names of Institutions in which you are educated	Class up to which you studied	Date of entry	Date of leaving

3. (a) Give particulars of all examination (if any) you have passed and the class, division or other distinction obtained commencing with the Matriculation or equivalent examination.

Examination or Degree	Class or Division		Year	Subject taken	(a) Name of University. (b) College, Hall or Hostel.
	Pass	Hons.			

23. (B) (i) State whether you passed the Matriculation examination as a private candidate; (ii) If so, who recommended your application	(i) (ii)
24. (a) What games do you play or you have played? (b) Name any position of authority (*e.g.* School monitor) or distinction in games or athletics you have achieved, mentioning dates.	(*a*) (*b*)
25. Have you ever been a Boy Scout or a member of a Cadet or University Training Corps? If so, give particulars as to date and ranks achieved. State also your Corps Number and the name of the School or College from which you were enrolled. The Corps number must be stated.	
26. Give the name and address of the Principal or Head of the College or School at which you were last educated or are now being educated.	
27. If your time since leaving shool or college is not fully accounted for by the replies given above, account for the remainder here with dates. If you have had employers, state their names and addresses in full.	
28. State in the opposite column the branch or service in which you desire to enter the Inter.Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy, Debra Dun with a view to obtaining a Commission. (a) Indian Army, (b) Royal Indian Navy, (c) Royal Indian Air Force, (d) Indian State Forces in the State(s) mentioned opposite.	(1) (2) (3) (4)

If you wish to compete for more than one branch state the branches in order of your preference. If you are a candidate for the Indian State Forces name also the State(s) in which you desire to serve.

29. State the name of the Treasury, Bank or Post Office from which you submit a treasury receipt or postal orders and the numbers and date of the treasury receipt or postal orders.

Name of Treasury, Bank or Post Office	Number of Treasury Receipt or Postal Order	Date	Value Rs. a.

30. Give a list of the documents enclosed (*vide* para 5 of Instructions to Candidate(s)):—

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

Declarations to be signed by the candidate.

1. I hereby declare that the statements made in this form are true to the best of my knowldge and belief; that I am not married, and I undertake that I will not marry, while I am a candidate for admission to or am under training for the Armed Forces, and that I am—

(*a*) a national of the Indian Dominion by birth or by domicile,
(*b*) a person of Indian descent,
(*c*) a ruler or a citizen of a State which has acceded to India or of Nepal.
} (Strike out the portions not applicable to you).

(*d*) a citizen of a territory adjacent to India. State the name of the territory.
} A person in whose favour a declaration of eligibility has been issued by the Government of India.

2. I also declare that I have not incurred and, if accepted for training for the Armed Forces, will not, during such training incur any financial obligation which I would be bound to discharge out of my pay as officer of the Armed Forces, if I receive a Commission.

Note.—1 A candidate who marries subsequent to the date of his declaration, though successful at the ensuing or any subsequent examination, will not be selected for training and a candidate who marries while under training may be discharged.

Note.—2 The total estimated cost of training payable by a guardian or parent will be notified later.

3. I understand that any medical examination conducted at any stage of the selection procedure does not necessarily mean that I have been selected.

Signature of witness.....

Full address.....

.....

Date.....

Signature of candidate.....

Full address.....

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Date.....

SECTION B

Not applicable to civilian candidates

(To be completed by the Commanding Officer of a Service candidate)

QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
1. Date of joining the Crops/Establishment.	
2 Whether still an efficient Member.	
3 Rank in the Army/Navy/Air Force	
4 Date of appointment to that rank.	

Appreciation of the candidate's likelihood to make a suitable Officer (the opinion given should, if possible, touch upon the general character of the candidate and such qualities as his keenness, courage, initiative, self-reliance, powers of leadership and reliability and upon any other matter which may be useful to the Commission) :—

Commanding Unit or Establishment.

Place.....

Date.....

SECTION C

(To be completed by Federal Public Service Commission)

Name of candidate .....

Aggregate marks awarded .....

Remarks .....

Station ..... Signature .....

Date ..... Designation .....

SECTION D

(To be completed by President, Services Selection Board)

Name of candidate .....

Batch No. .....

Board's grading (both in words as well as in figures).....

Arm/Service for which recommended .....

Station ..... Signature .....

Date ..... President S.S.B.

SECTION E

(Medical Board's Report)

Name of candidate .....

Medical category in which placed .....

(i) Fit, Medical Category 'A'.

(ii) Unfit temporarily, likely to be fit in 3 months,

(iii) Unfit temporarily, likely to be fit in more than 3 months.

(iv) Unfit permanently.

Remarks.....

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.....President

Date ....Member

Station ....Member

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

(To be submitted along with the application by candidates for admission to the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy at Dehra Dun *vide* paragraph 8 of Notification).

Certified that Sri .... a candidate for the examination for admission to the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy at Dehra Dun has been examined by me and that in my opinion he is medically fit in all respects to take his place in the Armed Forces. Certified also that in my opinion the development of the candidate is such that by the time he attains theage of 17 the candidate will reach the following minimum standards :—

Height without shoes	Girth when fully expanded	CHEST Range of expansion not less than
Inches	Inches	Inches
62 and under 62	33	2
65 and under 68	33½	2
68 ander 72	34	2
72 and upwards	34	2

Signature.....

Date ..... *Designation.....

*This certificate should by signed by a Government Doctor not below the rank of an Assistant Surgeon or a Service Medical Doctor.

Bond to be signed by parent or guardian.

THIS AGREEMENT dated day of between of (hereinafter called the guarantor which expression shall include his personal representatives when the context so admits) of the one part, and the Governor-General of India (hereinafter called the Government which expression shall include his successors and assigns where the context so admits) of the other part.

WHEREAS son/ward of by caste/class Resident of (hereinafter called "the cadet") has, at the request of the guarantor, been selected by the Government for admission to the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy on the terms hereinafter appearing for the purpose of receiving preliminary training with a view to being commissioned in the

*Royal Indian Navy

Indian Army

Royal Indian Air Force

if considered by the Government to be suitable and if there is any vacancy.

NOW IT IS AGREED between the parties hereto that in consideration of the Cadet being admitted by the Government to the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy for the purpose of the aforesaid training at the request of the guarantor, he the guarantor convenants with the Government that the Cadet will attend the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy for preliminary training and the.

*Naval training Ships/Establishments

*Military Wing of the Armed Forces Academy

Air Force Training Establishments

for further training as a Cadet/flight Cadet/Subordinate Officer for the prescribed period or until he is declared fit [as to which the decision of (here insert the appropriate designation of officer) for the time being at

*Naval H.Q.

Army H.Q.

Air H.Q.

shall be final] to be granted a Commission and that the cadet will, if offered a Commission as an

*Officer in the Royal Indian Navy

Indian Commissionsd Officer in Indian Army

Officer of the Royal Indian Air Force

accept such Commission unless he, the Cadet, is prevented from doing so by death or on account of ill-health, or some other reason over which he the Cadet has no control, or by being removed on the grounds that he the Cadet is considered by the said at

*Naval H.Q.

Army H.Q.

Air H.Q.

to be unfit to continue as a Cadet/Subordinate Officer or to be granted Commissioned Rank.

If for any reason not beyond the control of the Cadet he does not complete the prescribed period of his training at the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy and the

*Naval Training Ships/Establishments

Military Wing of the Armed Forces Academy

Air Force Training Establishments

or he, the Cadet, does not accept a Commission if offered as covenanted above, then the guarantor shall forthwith pay to the Government in cash such sum as the said at

*Naval H.Q.

Army H.Q.

Air H.Q.

shall fix but not exceeding such expenses as shall have been incurred by the Government on account of the Cadet at the Inter-Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy and at the

*Naval Training Ships/Establishments

Military Wing of the Armed Forces Academy

Air Force Training Establishments

and all moneys received by the Cadet as pay and allowances up to the date of his withdrawal from Cadet Training or the date of his refusal to accept a Commission as an

*Officer in the Royal Indian Navy

Indian Commissioned Officer in the Indian Army

Officer of the Royal Indian Air Force

as the case may be together with interest or the amount calculated at fixed Government rates then in force for Government loans.

And it is lastly agreed that if there is any dispute as to the effect or meaning of these presents the decision of which has not been expressly hereinbefore provided for, the same shall be referred to the decision of the Secretary of the Government of India in the Ministry of Defence, whose decision shall be final. As witness the hands of the parties the day and year first before written.

Signed by the said
in the presence of
Signed by
on behalf of the Governor-General of India
in the presence of

NOTE.—(a) *Delete whichever is inapplicable.

(b) The Agreement Form is to be duly stamped. The necessary stamped paper is to be purchased by the guarantor from the local Revenue Officer.

(c) The stamped copy of the Agreement will be accompanied by a certificate in original from the Local Civil Authority concerned declaring that the guarantor of the boy is a person of sufficient standing to fulfil the undertaking.

(d) The signature of the guarantor is to be witnessed by a serving or pensioned I.C.O. or J.C.O. or any Government servant of gazetted status

(e) The Agreement Form should not be stamped or executed until the boy has been selected by the Government for admission.

H. M. Patel, *Secy.*

DECLARATION OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN.

TO BE COMPLETED ONLY BY PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF THOSE SEEKING ADMISSION TO THE ROYAL INDIAN NAVY.

I.....of.....* declare that I am in a position and am prepared to discharge the financial obligations attaching to the further training of my son/ward named.....in the U. K., on completion of preliminary training at the Inter Services Wing of the Armed Forces Academy, Dehra Dun.

Signature of parent/guardian.

Place.....

Date.....

* Give address in full and occupation. Guardians should state relationship to the candidates.

Note:—On completion of preliminary training at the Inter Services Wing, R I N cadets will be sent to the U.K. for further training. Whilst under training in the U. K. parents/guardians will be required to meet the private expenses and the expenditure during vacations of their sons/wards. This was formerly estimated at £116 but due to rise in the price levels, etc, this sum is invariably exceeded. This sum will require to be made available in two or three instalments, as directed only after the departure of the cadets to the U.K.

FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

NOTICE.

New Delhi, the 19th February 1949.

An examination for the selection of cadets for entry to the permanent cadre of the commissioned ranks of the Royal Indian Navy will be held at Allahabad, Bombay, Calcutta, Delhi, Madras and Nagpur on the 20th June 1949, and subsequent days. If very few candidates offer to appear at a centre, it may be cancelled and the candidates may be asked to choose another centre. The examination will be conducted by the Federal Public Service Commission.

2. The number of vacancies to be filled as a result of this examination will be 25.

Candidates should show in the application form the order of their preference for the three branches—Executive, Engineering and Supply and Secretariat—if they wish to compete for more than one branch.

3. Candidates who qualify at the written examination will be required to appear before a Service Selection Board, which will make recommendations to the Government of India for the final selection of cadets for appointment to the vacancies offered at the examination.

4. Candidates for admission to this examination must have been born not earlier than the 2nd January 1930 and not later than the 1st January 1932. The age limits can in no case be relaxed.

5. Candidates are required to pay a consolidated application and examination fee of Rs. 37-8-0. (Rs. 9-6-0 in the case of candidates belonging to the scheduled castes) with the application in accordance with paragraph 5(i) of 'Instructions to Candidates'.

6. Particulars relating to educational qualifications and subjects prescribed for the examination are stated in the rules prescribed for the examination, and published in the Ministry of Defence Resolution No. 27/E dated the 19th February

7 A candidate who desires to appear at the examination is required to submit his application in the prescribed form with the necessary documents in accordance with the "Instructions to Candidates regarding the filling up and submission of applications". Applications must reach the Federal Public Service Commission, Council House, Post Box No. 186, New Delhi, direct on or before the 2nd April 1949. Copies of the Rules and Application form, etc., may be obtained direct from the Secretary, Federal Public Service Commission, Council House, Post Box No 186, New Delhi, or from any one of the Naval authorities noted below:—

1. Commodore-in-charge, Bombay, Vithal House, Mint Road, Bombay.
2. Commodore-in-charge, Cochin.
3. The Resident Naval Officer, Madras.
4. The Naval Officer-in-charge, Vizagapatam.
5. The Resident Naval Officer, Calcutta.

The fact that an application form has been supplied on a particular date will not be accepted as an excuse for the late submission of an application. Candidates who delay their requests for forms until a late date will do so at their own risk.

8. Candidates who are already in Government service may compete at the examination, provided that they fulfil all the conditions mentioned in the Rules. Applications from candidates in Government service, whether employed in a permanent or temporary capacity, must be submitted through the Head of the Ministry or office concerned.

NOTE.—If any candidate who has applied for admission to the examination held in February 1949 for entry to the Royal Indian Navy, wishes to appear at the examination to be held in June 1949, he must submit his application by the prescribed date without waiting for the results of the former examination. If he is finally selected, his candidature for the June 1949 examination will be cancelled.

R. M. RAY,
Secretary,
Federal Public Service Commission.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

RESOLUTION

New Delhi, the 19th February 1949.

No. 27—E. The Government of India hereby make the following rules for the selection of cadets for the commissioned ranks (permanent cadre) of the Royal Indian Navy. Candidates will have to appear at an examination, which will be held by the Federal Public Service Commission on the 20th June 1949 and subsequent days at Allahabad, Bombay, Calcutta, Delhi, Madras and Nagpur. Those who qualify at the written examination will be required to appear before a Services Selection Board which will make recommendations for the final selection of cadets.

RULES

1 (i) A candidate for selection shall apply to be admitted to the examination before such date and in such form as the Federal Public Service Commission may prescribe. The application shall be made direct to the Federal Public Service Commission, New Delhi.

(ii) A candidate who is in permanent or temporary Government service shall apply to the Commission for admission to the examination through the Head of his Ministry or office who shall forward his application to the Commission unless the refuses his consent to the application.

(iii) Cadets of the Prince of Wales' Royal Indian Military College, Dehra Dun, shall submit their applications through the Principal of the College.

(iv) No candidate shall make more than one application in respect of this examination.

2 Candidates must be unmarried men and either be—

(*a*) a national of the Indian Dominion by birth or by domicile; or

(*b*) a ruler or a citizen of an Indian State which has acceded to the Dominion of India,

NOTE.—Persons who were domiciled in Pakistan areas but who have migrated to India before the 30th September 1948 with the intention of permanently settling down in India, will be treated as persons of Indian Domicile.

(*c*) a Gurkha subject of Nepal,

(*d*) An individual who is not covered by clauses (*a*), (*b*) or (*c*) above may also be permitted to take the examination at the discretion of the Federal Public Service Commission. The final selection of such an individual as cadet will be